

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claim 1 according to the following clean version:

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sub claims

1. (Amended) A method for scaling a storage library, the library comprising at least one array of storage cells arranged in a horizontal plane, at least one media cartridge player and at least one robot mechanism that moves along the horizontal array and can mount cartridges from storage cells into the cartridge player and dismount cartridges from cartridge player into cartridge storage cells, the method comprising at least one of the following:

- increasing the horizontal width of the storage library; and
- increasing the horizontal length of the storage library by increasing the length of horizontal storage cell array.

Please add the following claims:

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2. The method according to claim 1, wherein the step of increasing the horizontal width of the storage library further comprises increasing the width of the horizontal storage cell array.

3. The method according to claim 1, wherein the step of increasing the horizontal width of the storage library further comprises adding banks of horizontal arrays side by side.

4. The method according to claim 1, wherein the step of increasing the horizontal length of the storage library further comprises increasing the length of the horizontal storage cell array.

5. The method according to claim 1, wherein the step of increasing the horizontal length of the storage library further comprises adding horizontal storage cell arrays end to end.